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Proposed strategic framework for the period 2018-2019

Note by the Secretariat

Pursuant to the Regulations and Rules Governing Programme Planning, the Programme Aspects of the Budget, the Monitoring of Implementation and the Methods of Evaluation (ST/SGB/2000/8), the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice have before them, for their information, the proposed biennial programme plan for programme 13, International drug control, crime and terrorism prevention and criminal justice. The proposed plan will be issued in due course under the symbol A/71/6 (Prog. 13). An unedited advance version of the proposed plan will be circulated to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as a conference room paper. The proposed plan was discussed extensively at meetings of the open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and was considered, as contained in a conference room paper (E/CN.7/2015/CRP.8-E/CN.15/2015/CRP.8), at the joint meeting of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice held on 10 December 2015, during their reconvened sessions. The Commissions, at their reconvened sessions, expressed support for the proposed plan, which was subsequently transmitted to the Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts and will be submitted to the Committee for Programme and Coordination at its fifty-sixth session. The Committee's recommendations on the proposed

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biennial programme plan will be transmitted to the General Assembly at its seventy-first session in conjunction with its consideration of the Secretary-General's proposed strategic framework for the period 2018-2019.